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TRAGEDY IN A BANK

It May Result Fatally to at Least Three Persons.

ONE OF THEM ALREADY DEAD

The Assistant Bookkeeper and Collection Clerk Uses His Revolver to Hide His Crimes—Two Men Shot and Then a Bullet Is Sent Into His Own Brains—Details of the Horrible Event.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 17.—At 11 o'clock Sunday a tragedy was enacted in the private office of the Citizens' State bank of Council Bluffs which may result fatally for three persons. John Huntington, assistant bookkeeper and collection clerk, shot C. A. Cromwell of Chicago, representative of the Fidelity and Casualty company of New York and then emptied his revolver into his own brain, inflicting a wound from which he died two hours later. Cromwell and Hayden, it is thought, will recover.

Huntington was one of the best known men in Council Bluffs and numbered his friends by the hundred. So far as can be learned he had no bad habits, and this is what makes his act the harder to explain. On the 20th of last July a check of \$500 was turned over to him by Ira F. Hendricks, one of the employees of the bank in the regular routine of business. Huntington charged up the check to the Union Stockyards National bank of South Omaha, and from that day to this nothing whatever has been seen or heard of it. The day following Huntington left for a vacation trip of several weeks to New York city. The bank officials kept thinking the check would turn up sooner or later and deferred any action. As time passed on and it became evident that the bank was out \$500, they sent a message to the Fidelity and Casualty company notifying it of the fact and suggesting that inspectors come on at once and make an investigation.

The bank officials claim that at the time they had no charges to make against Huntington or any employee of the bank. All of their employees were bonded in the Fidelity and they preferred that the Fidelity company should make the investigation rather than make it themselves. Messrs. Cromwell and Hayden arrived in the city last Friday and took rooms at the Grand hotel. They cross-examined each of the bank employees through whose hands the missing check had passed, and among the rest, Huntington. They claimed to have discovered that he had been spending more money than the salary of \$45 a month which he was receiving would warrant, and on this, together with the fact that the check had been last seen in his hands, they based their suspicions.

Huntington and the representatives of the Fidelity company met Saturday night and made arrangements for another meeting at the bank Sunday morning, when the investigation was to be resumed. At the hour appointed they were together, and Cromwell and Hayden commenced to put the young man through a running cross-fire of questions. President J. D. Edmundson and Cashier C. R. Hannan of the bank were present during most of the interview. The conference had not been in progress for more than 15 minutes when Huntington rose from his chair, pulled a revolver and commenced firing at the representatives of the Fidelity company.

The revolver he used was a 41-caliber that belonged to the bank and had been kept in the desk of G. F. Spooner, the paying teller. The first three shots were fired at Cromwell, who had taken the lead in the interrogation, and all three took effect. The fourth struck Hayden and then Huntington raised the weapon to his own head and fired. He fell to the floor unconscious and remained so until his death at 1:10 p. m.

The two wounded men ran out of the bank down First avenue and into the Grand hotel, blood dripping from them at every step. They were taken to their rooms and Dr. Donald Moore, Jr., was summoned. He found that one of the bullets had taken effect in Cromwell's back, just to the right of the spine, about the waist line. It was found about four inches below the surface and extracted. The second bullet struck in the left side of his cheek, plowed its way around the right side of his neck, and came to a stop after just missing the carotid artery. The third struck him in the right wrist, he having thrown up his hand to strike the revolver out of Huntington's hand. It broke one of the bones of the forearm clear in two and imbedded itself in the bone, almost severing it. When the ball was taken out it was cut almost in two from the pointed end down. Cromwell will probably lose the use of his right hand on account of a stiffening of the wrist joint as the result of the fracture of the bones.

Hayden fared better. The bullet struck him in the neck, and after passing around about a quarter of the way imbedded itself in a panel in the door, where it was afterward found. His wound is not considered of a serious nature, but a variation of half an inch would have killed him.

The bullet that took Huntington's life entered the skull just behind the ear, and lodged back of the right eye, where its presence was shown by a discoloration of the lid. His having the weapon in his possession showed he had planned it all out before hand, and his coolness, in the face of the terrible deed he was committing, is surprising, all of the men who were present at the interview testifying that they had not the slightest idea anything out of the ordinary run of things would be thought of by the young man.

The parents of young Huntington were at once summoned. The aged mother was beside herself with grief. The death of their son was affliction enough, but the honest old people appeared to be grieved more that their son should have committed the two crimes of robbing his employers and then attempting to murder, than over the mere fact of his death.

"That he is dead is bad enough," said his mother, "but that he should do such a thing is terrible."

J. D. Edmundson, the president of the bank, was seen and asked for his version of the affair. He said: "Huntington, Cromwell, Hayden and I were sitting in the private office. Cromwell was in the northwest corner of the room, I in the northeast, Hayden about the center and Huntington between Hayden and myself. We were seated about a table that stands against the north wall. Mr. Hannan, the cashier, had been sitting between Hayden and Huntington until a few minutes before the shooting took place, when he went out into the front part of the bank. Hayden and Cromwell had been questioning the young man very closely about his mode of living. On one occasion he had deposited \$70 in the bank, and Cromwell asked him where he got it. Huntington said he borrowed it, but when asked of whom he borrowed it he could not remember, and said that it was none of their business, anyway. He was also unable to say of whom he got the money to pay back the loan. Up to that time I had had the most implicit confidence in Huntington's honesty, but I must confess his evasive answers made me doubtful of it.

"I saw that something unpleasant was about to occur and got up to leave the room. Just as I got up Huntington did likewise. He passed behind Hayden, and I supposed he was going to get a drink at the water tank. There was nothing in his actions that indicated nervousness or excitement. I was about half way between my chair and the door when I heard a pistol shot, and looking around I saw Huntington standing between Cromwell and Hayden, and a little behind both, with his revolver pointed at the former. I hurried out of the private office and as I went I heard several more shots fired. I ran out and gave the alarm, and when several of us went into the private office we found Huntington lying on the floor with blood streaming from a wound in the back of his head and the two other men suffering from the effects of his deadly aim.

"We have always considered John an honest young man, and if there was any weak point in his character it was a little tendency to extravagance. Of course the amount he was in the habit of spending would not have been extravagant to a man of means, but was rather more than a young man ought to spend who draws only \$45 a month."

Hayden, one of the wounded men, in conversation about the affair, said: "We had only been talking a few minutes and no accusation had as yet been made. But the questions we had been asking were very pointed and were easily taken by him as leading up to a direct charge of theft. At times he had talked loudly and in a somewhat excited manner, but just before the shooting he cooled down, and we had not the slightest intimation of what he was about to do. He suddenly got up without any show of anger, and pulling out a revolver commenced firing, first at Cromwell, then at me. We had no weapons and were not prepared to defend ourselves, nor is it likely we should have thought of doing so even if we had been armed, the shooting was done so rapidly, and it was all over so soon."

T. N. Hayden resides at 5545 Monroe street with his wife and one son, 30 years of age. The first news Mrs. Hayden received of the shooting was at 5 o'clock in the afternoon when a telegram was received from her husband telling her not to worry if she heard anything about the tragedy as he was all right. Hayden has lived in Chicago for many years. His father is general traveling auditor of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern road. Hayden was for some years assistant general traveling auditor of the same line.

PRESIDENTIAL OUTING.

Cleveland Will Spend a Few Days Hunting on the Atlantic Coast.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Dr. O'Reilly, Captain R. D. Evans and Mr. Charles Jefferson, left Washington yesterday evening on an Atlantic coast line train for a hunting trip on the coast of South Carolina.

The town of Georgetown is the destination of the presidential party. It is a small town on the coast north of Charleston and at the head of the bay into which the Great Pedee river empties. Fine duck hunting is afforded there and a few deer are occasionally shot. The trip has been in contemplation since early fall, and is taken at this time in the hope that the outing will benefit the president and eradicate the remnant of his rheumatism, which still lingers with him. The party will return in about a week.

It Will Create a Grand Rush.

ARMOUR, S. D., Dec. 17.—Information has been received here from Washington confirming previous reports that the Yankton reservation would not be opened for settlement until next March or April. The reservation contains over 200,000 acres of land, about 125,000 of which will be thrown open to settlement, the rest being allotted to the Indians. It is thought there will be a grand rush for land when it is opened, as the bulk of it will make excellent farming land.

GENEVA, Ind., Dec. 17.—Monroe White, an oil well driller, was drowned here yesterday by accidentally falling into a mammoth vat of crude oil.

AFFAIRS IN TURKEY

True Statements Coming From a Reliable Source.

THE HALF HAS NOT BEEN TOLD.

It May Be That Ten Thousand People Have Been Slain—An Investigation Demanded by the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions—A Report That Further Outrages Have Taken Place.

BOSTON, Dec. 17.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions, more than any other missionary organization in America, centralizes its work in behalf of Armenians in Asiatic Turkey. Its western Turkey mission began in 1819, its eastern Turkey mission in 1836, and its central Turkey mission in 1847.



SULTAN ABDUL HAMID.

These three missions comprise 15 stations, 283 out stations, 45 missionaries, one medical missionary in eastern Turkey, 42 married women and 73 unmarried women—in fact, it employs 791 native laborers. These laborers occupy 299 places for stated preaching, secure average congregations of 30,747 persons. The Sabbath schools number 26,464. The adherents are estimated at 46,864. There are 112 churches, with a membership of 11,481, of whom 498 are received within a year.

The educational work is expensive. There are four theological schools, 29 theological students, 31 colleges, high and boarding schools for boys, containing 1,843 pupils; 20 colleges, high and boarding schools for girls, containing 1,121 pupils. There are 372 common schools, containing 16,883 pupils. There are 1,561 others under instructions. The grand total of persons under instructions consist of 19,886 persons. The contributions of the natives last year to the American board amounted to \$34,758.

These facts do not include the work in European Turkey. Numerous inquiries have been received from the press and from the congressional constituency in the United States, which has induced their conservative organization to furnish the following statement relating to "Affairs in Turkey."

"We are not unconcerned about the reports of the massacre in eastern Turkey. The position of 177 missionaries of the American board within the Turkish empire is an extremely delicate one. Sympathizing deeply on the one side with all who are suffering by reason of poverty, oppression and misrule, they have yet been loyal to the government under which they have lived, and have never countenanced sedition or rebellion.

"It has been their blessed privilege while preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ to aid the poor, to protect, as far as possible, the oppressed, and to deliver from unjust officials multitudes who have been arrested or imprisoned. It is not necessary for our missionaries, after these scores of years of devoted labor for the native races of Turkey, to prove their sympathy with the suffering and oppressed by joining others who, at a safe distance from the scene of danger, are passing vigorous resolutions in condemnation of the wrongs inflicted. They are doing their best, amid no little peril to themselves, in the interests of those for whom they have long labored, but our readers can well understand that for the sake, both of the helpers and of the helped, it is inexpedient for us to present a full statement of all that we hear and believe.

"Some things we may properly say prior to the full investigation of the alleged atrocities, which we trust will be made by the representatives of both our government and of the European powers. In the Sassoun region, south of Moush plain, there are, or recently were, many villages inhabited by Armenians. These people were systematically robbed of their flocks by Kurds and in the latter part of the summer the Armenians pursued the robbers in their endeavor to recover their property. In the fight which ensued a dozen of these Kurds were killed, among whom were some who were enrolled as Turkish soldiers.

"When information was given that the Armenians had killed some of the sultan's troops the charge of rebellion was made, and orders were sent to put down the insurrection. The result was that these lawless and uncontrolled soldiers made indiscriminate slaughter of the people who had sought to defend their property. In the horrible massacres which followed thousands were slain—some 5,000; others 10,000.

The details of this wretched affair are not obtainable, even by those near the scene. They will never be obtained unless foreign governments insist upon a thorough investigation, conducted by

foreigners. The poor people are in terror, and dare not state the truth unless under protection.

"A document has been prepared near the scene of the carnage, purporting to give the judgment of the people that the thousands slain in Talvaree met their just deserts and expressing regret that it had been thought best to send consuls to investigate since there had been no need for their coming. The value of such a document will be understood when the methods for securing signatures are known. But such investigations should be made most vigorously either to relieve the government from unjust charges if the statements are incorrect or if they should be proven true to bring about the condign punishment of the guilty parties.

"Though our missionaries in eastern Turkey are often upon Moush plain, where there are many out-stations in which the evangelical work is conducted by them, yet their work has not extended into this Sassoun district, and hence they have had no direct reports from the scene of the massacre. Papers from Constantinople, printed entirely under control of the Turkish censors of the press, announce that the sultan has sent one of his imperial guards to the city of Erzingan, in eastern Turkey, to carry a decoration to Zekki Pasha, the commander of the Fourth army corps, which is located there. Sekki Pasha is the military commander who led the troops against the defenseless villages in the Sassoun region at the time of the massacre.

"Another envoy carries four banners from the sultan to the four leading Kurdish chiefs, who were associated with the military commander in the reported massacre, and who probably were the instigators of it. After the sultan has thus approved of the action of his troops and of the Kurds, it will be impossible for any commission appointed by the Turkish government to investigate the outrage and bring any report that reflects on either the Kurds or the army. By this act the sultan seems to assume all the responsibility of what has been done.

"These stories of wrong and oppression have aroused the civilized world. We are glad to learn that our government has directed one of its consuls to make an independent investigation of all matters connected with the reported massacre. But our government does not stand in the same relation to Turkey as do the European powers, that, under the treaty of Berlin, secured the right of seeing that good government was maintained throughout the Turkish empire. The rights thus guaranteed ought now to be exercised, and the first step should be a most thorough investigation as to the condition of affairs throughout Armenia. We can not doubt that the European powers will attend to their duty. The winter is not a favorable time for visiting eastern Turkey, where the snow is often from eight to 12 feet deep. Time and patience will be required."

Erzingan, which is referred to in the preceding statement, is a city 96 miles southwest of Erzurum, situated on the Euphrates in the midst of the mountains. It is noted for the energy of its people, both Turks and Armenians.

ALMOST BEYOND BELIEF.

Further Outrages Perpetrated Upon the Poor Armenians.

TIFLIS, Russian Transcaucasia, Dec. 17.—A letter which appears in a paper here states that for 19 days the residents of Armenian villages, where the outrages were perpetrated, fought against the Kurds. The Armenians lost only 10 warriors while the Kurds lost 569. When the regular troops under Zekki Pasha appeared the Armenians were compelled to succumb.

After Zekki Pasha's treachery in offering peace, 60 young Armenian men were seized and tortured horribly for three days. Then all were murdered and their bodies buried in a ditch. Among the Armenian heroes who lost their lives, the writer mentions Derbedros, who, with his own hand, killed seven Kurds in fair fight. He was captured and flayed to the waist. Pieces of his flesh were cut off, broiled and eaten by the savage Turks while he was still alive.

Burden Laid to Rest.

PARIS, Dec. 17.—President Casimir-Perier, the ministers, diplomats, senators and members of the chamber of deputies assembled in the court of honor of the Palais Bourbon yesterday, to pay the last token of respect to M. Auguste Burdeau, president of the chamber of deputies, who died on Wednesday last. There were no religious services. All the high officials, with the exception of President Casimir-Perier, went to the cemetery. The route was lined with a silent and respectful crowd. At the grave a large body of troops and a squadron of the republican guard marched past. The body was then interred.

Died of Exposure.

WAUPUN, Wis., Dec. 17.—The Schultz children, who disappeared from their home in the town of Waupun last Monday, and for whom hundreds of men have been searching daily, were found dead yesterday afternoon in the woods two miles from the homestead. They lost their way during last Monday's snowstorm and died from exposure.

Steamer Delayed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Some anxiety has been caused by the non-arrival of the Mallory steamer San Marcos. She was expected to reach here Saturday at the latest. The steamer has not been reported since leaving Galveston.

Died of Heart Disease.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 17.—Joseph L. Shipley, for 20 years editor and part owner of the Springfield Union, died suddenly of heart disease shortly after midnight.

CONGRESSIONAL CAST

Program of the Senate and House.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL BILL.

It Will Continue to Occupy the Attention of the Senate Until Final Action Is Taken on the Measure—An Exciting Week Promised in the House—The Carlisle Banking Bill to Be Considered.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Nicaragua canal bill holds its place as the unfinished business in the senate calendar, and the general understanding appears to be that it will continue to occupy the attention of the senate with few interruptions, and those by consent, until a vote is taken upon it. The bill only comes up on each day after the disposal of the morning business, and it will surrender this place temporarily on Thursday to permit the ceremonies in commemoration of Webster and Stark of the unveiling of their statues which have been placed in the Capitol.

There is also a probability that the committee on appropriations may ask consideration for the urgent deficiency bill toward the last of the week. It is understood that Senator Cockrell, chairman of this committee, will lay stress upon the importance of getting this bill through before the holidays and that he will ask the committee to pass upon it early in the week. There is little probability, however, that any of the other appropriation bills will receive the attention of the senate during the week.

The disposition among senators is favorable to an adjournment on Thursday until after the Christmas holidays, but it is probable that the house will not consent to this arrangement and that the adjournment will be delayed until Saturday. The program, therefore, with reference to the holiday adjournment, so far as one has been arranged, is to adjourn on Saturday, the 22d inst., until Thursday, the 3d of January.

Some senators predict that the final vote on the Nicaragua bill will be reached this week, but the friends of the bill scarcely hope for this result. They realize that the precedents of the senate are all against action so speedy on a message of such importance and presenting so many points for debate and set speeches, and they are also prepared to encounter opposition which has not yet taken definite shape. Senator Caffrey's objection to an agreement for a vote on the bill on Wednesday next is understood to have been made upon constitutional grounds, and it is quite probable that he, with several other senators, including Teller, Vest, George and Vilas, will desire to be heard in opposition to the measure before it shall be disposed of. Senator Callum will open the speaking for the week with a speech on this question.

This week promises to be an exciting one in the house. The banking and currency committee have arranged to bring forward the Carlisle banking bill and will prefer a request to the committee on rules for a special order which will set aside the remainder of the week, beginning on Tuesday, for debate on the Carlisle bill with provision for a final vote on Friday next. The banking committee desires to prolong the sessions as to begin at 11 a. m., and continue until 10:30 at night with a recess from 5 until 8 p. m. The terms, the special order will be submitted to the committee on rules.

There is considerable opposition among the Democrats of the house to the short limit it is proposed to set upon the debate. Many of them feel that a measure involving such gigantic interests, contemplating, as it does, a revolution in the entire banking system of the country, should not be crowded through in haste. This feeling is shared by some of the most prominent Democratic leaders of the house, and it seems a large possibility that the banking and currency committee will be overruled, and the special order will give this week to debate, with provision for a final vote after the holiday recess.

The adjournment for the holiday recess will probably occur on Saturday. The talk of continuing the session without the customary recess seems to be based on very slight foundation.

WHOLESALE POISONING.

One Hundred and Fifty Persons Suddenly Stricken.

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Great excitement has been caused at Freiberg, Saxony, by what appears on its face to be either criminal negligence or a wholesale attempt at poisoning. One hundred and fifty persons were suddenly stricken with all the symptoms attending arsenic poisoning.

An investigation showed that all had partaken of rolls from a certain bakery, and an analysis revealed that the rolls contained arsenic. One child has died from the effects of the poison. The family of the baker, who sold the rolls, did not escape, some of the members being quite ill. Inquiry has been opened in the case of the child who died.

Supreme Court Judge Prostrated.

OSKALOOSA, Ia., Dec. 17.—Complete paralysis of the right side prostrated Judge Severs last night. He was a former member of the Iowa supreme court for 14 years and prominent in Iowa since an early day.

Duel With Pistols.

BENTON, Ala., Dec. 17.—A duel with pistols took place on the street here last night between Tom St. Clair and Reuben Maul. St. Clair was killed, Maul slightly wounded and a negro woman seriously wounded.

EVENING BULLETIN.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1894.

Fair colder weather with a cold wave; northwest winds, diminishing in force.

NOW THAT HARRIS and his rascally schemes have collapsed, the BULLETIN goes into details quite extensively. Why didn't it endeavor to protect its friends and neighbors from the imposition at the beginning? Anyone with 2 oz. of brain and a grain of common sense might have known that both the man and his project was a fraud. —Public Ledger.

The BULLETIN gives the news. The editor of the Public Ledger is very complimentary, indeed, to such excellent citizens and business men as Mr. Thomas Wells, Dr. J. M. Frazee, Dr. Thomas E. Pickett, Mr. W. W. Ball, Judge Thomas R. Phister, Judge G. S. Wall, Dr. John T. Fleming, the late Hon. W. H. Wadsworth and the many others who firmly believed that fuel gas is all that is claimed for it.

THE box-sheet for Ex-Governor Taylor's lecture will be open at Nelson's tomorrow morning.

MR. THOMAS THOMAS, of Fleming County, and Miss Anna Travis, of this city, will be married to-day.

PHILIP LOCHLAND, colored, aged about sixty years, died Saturday at his home in the Fifth ward, of consumption.

A COVINGTON man has invented a burner to generate gas from oil. It is claimed it furnishes a fuel as cheap as natural gas.

MRS. ELIZABETH JOHNSON, a sister of the late Joseph Frank, celebrated the eightieth anniversary of her birth December 12th.

REMEMBER Henry Ort has an elegant line of goods suitable for Christmas presents and he has made a big cut in prices. Don't fail to see him.

MR. JAMES REDMOND qualified as Constable of Magisterial District No 1 Saturday, with Messrs C. B. Poyntz and W. W. Ball as sureties.

MR. R. B. WEST, of Fleming County, and Miss Mattie L. Roberson, of Mayslick, will be married to-morrow at 1:30 p. m. at the home of the bride.

MESSRS. W. F. CHAPPELL and Ben F. Huff returned Saturday from Sardis where they have just completed a handsome residence for Mr. E. M. Newman.

FROM to-day until January 1st you can get the choice of F. B. Ranson & Co.'s boot and shoes at cost price. What more could you ask? Take advantage of this offer.

THERE is a very pretty and artistic Christmas scene in D. Hunt & Son's show window. It represents kind-hearted Old Santa taking a ride in a street car.

MISS ALICE WHEELER sang a solo in the First Baptist Church last night. She has a voice of wonderful volume and sweetness, and her friends predict a brilliant future for her.

MRS. SARAH DAVIS, one of Aberdeen's old citizens, died last night at 10 o'clock at her home on Front Street, that city. She leaves three sons. Funeral at 9 a. m. to-morrow at St. Patrick's Church.

A YOUNG man giving his name as H. C. Ball and hailing from Indiana, forged F. M. Hopkins' name to a check for \$52 in Fleming. He then got Dr. J. J. Reynolds, of Flemingsburg, to cash it for him and skipped. As soon as Mr. Reynolds found that the check was forged he telegraphed the proper authorities to arrest the gent.

DETECTIVE FITZGERALD and Marshal William Sayers of Augusta, on Saturday, arrested George Hall, a thirteen-year-old lad of that city, for throwing a rock at a C. and O. train. On account of his youth, he was let off with a few hours jail sentence and a good switching administered by his father. Young Hall threw a stone through a window of one of the coaches of the C. and O.'s No. 3 last Monday.

THE portrait of the late Mr. Will Wood, exhibited in the show window of the Red Corner clothing store, has attracted much attention. Mr. Wood was so well known in this community, and so pleasantly remembered by everybody acquainted with him, that his portrait is of more than passing interest. The crayon work, executed with the skill for which the artists are noted, brings out every feature as natural as life, and he almost seems to talk to those who look upon his portrait. The Waters Party, who are responsible for the work, are being highly commended. Studio at St. Charles Hotel, Front street.

"SO ROMANTIC."

Eloped With Her Sister's Sweetheart and Now Wants a Divorce. A Novel Case.

A special from Mt. Olivet tells of a divorce suit soon to be filed there, that grew out of a rather ill-advised and romantic marriage. The fair plaintiff is Mrs. Edna Woodward, aged eighteen, and the defendant is Thomas Woodward, aged twenty-two.

The statements set forth in the petition tell of the romantic marriage.

She says that one night last June Thomas Woodward had arranged to elope with an older sister of hers, but as the time drew near, her sister, Miss Emma Rankins, concluded that she did not care to link her destiny with the genial Thomas and was on the eve of backing out. Nothing was more natural than that she should confide in her younger sister and tell her all about it. Upon hearing the story, Miss Edna, who has considerable romance in her nature, gleaned, no doubt, from the novels of the ten cent variety, told her sister that she would take her place and marry young Woodward, saying they were the same size and looked a great deal alike, and in the night Woodward would be easily fooled, as he could not see very well anyway. At first the older sister objected, but finally yielded, as she saw an easy way out of the affair herself.

Thomas felt that he should have his nerve along with him, and the occasion was most auspicious to take "suthin," so he proceeded to fill up some before starting, and by the time he reached the home of his intended was sporting a very decent and comfortable jag, says the special.

On arriving, he was met by Miss Rankin, the younger, who lost no time in getting into the buggy, and in his excitement and hurry to escape the parental boot he noticed nothing wrong, but proceeded to Carlisle, arriving there before daylight. He soon had the knot tied and was far on his way home before he discerned his mistake.

Did he raise a kick when he found out he had been worked? Not a bit of it. He evidently had great faith in the old saw that "one of the name is as good as the same."

He proceeded on his way home, saying, "no one here need know but that everything was all right." So the couple installed themselves at the home of the groom.

All went well for three or four weeks, but Mrs. Woodward became dissatisfied at the end of that time and returned to her own home, where she was supposed to be visiting until her husband could provide a house.

Both of the young people are of good family and are well known. Woodward seems very indifferent about the affair, and will not in any way interfere with the proceedings.

We know that Christmas is coming
By many old time rules,
And not by far, least of them are
The crowded Sunday schools.

WHEN purchasing a present, buy the new and stylish goods. Hopper & Co. will show you the late things. Their czarinas are beautiful. Do not miss seeing them.

NOTHING could be more desirable or more appreciated for a Christmas present than one of our unequalled crayons.

WATERS PARTY,
Studio, Hotel St. Charles.

THE Christian Church, at the morning service Sunday, by an almost unanimous vote, extended a call to Rev. E. B. Cake to continue as pastor. His second year as pastor will close the first of March.

COMMENCING to-day, I will place on sale ladies' gold-filled watches worth \$25 for \$18, ladies' 14k. gold watches worth \$40, my price, \$30; gentlemen's gold-filled watches worth \$35, my price, \$20; 14k. gold gent's watches worth \$85, my price, \$60. All stem winders and finely jeweled. Warranted to give satisfaction.

P. J. MURPHY,
Leader of Low Prices.

THE Post says that if the Cincinnati postoffice can be looked upon as an index to the holiday trade of Cincinnati, the present year will show an enormous gain over that of last year. The sale of stamps is larger, and more parcels are being received for transmission than either last year or the year before. The month of November showed a gain of \$7,500 in the sale of stamps over the same month last year.

"MR. CLEVELAND is living in advance of his time," says the Ohio State Journal, "when he is able to add \$100,000,000 to our old war debt when there is no trouble nearer than China." We are not selfish, replies the Cincinnati Enquirer. We present our compliments to the Journal and beg to assure it that Mr. Harrison did as much to accomplish this wonderful feat as Mr. Cleveland did. Mr. Harrison furnished the deficiency and the policy. The rest was easy.



The Old Friend

And the best friend that never fails you is Simmons Liver Regulator, (the Red Z)—that's what you hear at the mention of this excellent Liver medicine, and people should not be persuaded that anything else will do.

It is the King of Liver Medicines; is better than pills, and takes the place of Quinine and Calomel. It acts directly on the Liver, Kidney and Bowels and gives new life to the whole system. This is the medicine you want. Sold by all Druggists in Liquid, or in Powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

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J. H. ZEILIN & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. E. R. Blaine, of New York, is in town.

—Mr. J. T. Long arrived here last night on a visit to friends.

—Mr. Gus Emmitt returned last evening from Terre Haute, Ind.

—Mr. Alfred Forman, of Carrollton, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed.

—Mr. A. S. Bliss, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Nelson.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Respass came down from Frankfort Friday to visit relatives.

—Dr. J. T. Strode, of Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hall.

—Mr. Charles McNamara, of Flemingsburg, spent Sunday here with friends and relatives.

—Mr. Ben Davis, of Vanceburg, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and M. Davis, of Market street.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Toup were called to Flemingsburg this morning by the critical illness of their little grand-daughter, Sarah Kennan Nute, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nute.

—Rev. J. S. Felix, of Augusta, was yesterday a guest of the family of Mr. James H. Hall of Third street. It will be a source of great pleasure to the many friends of Mr. Felix to know that he has recovered his health and will soon be able to enter the ministry again.

—Mr. W. W. Wicoff, the obliging and attentive agent of the C. and O., will leave to-day for his old home in Mason, Ohio, where he will spend a week with relatives. Mr. John Weimer, night operator, will have charge of the office during Mr. W.'s absence, and Mr. John Schnelle will fill the position of night operator.

WANTED.

WANTED—No dead ones,—but 10,000 live turkeys. F. H. TRAXEL & CO. 274t

LOST.

LOST—Saturday on Third street, between Limestone and Sutton, a C. T. A., U. of A. pin. Finder will please return to this office and receive a reward. 11-3td

STRAYED—A red and white spotted cow, wearing a leather strap around the horns. Any information concerning the same will be gratefully received by C. F. BRITAIN, Moransburg, Ky. 6-6t

VISIT
HENRY ORT'S
FURNITURE
HOUSE,
11 East Second Street,

During the coming week, and learn his prices. You will be surprised to find what a CUT he has made, REGARDLESS OF COST, on the following goods:

Children's
Rockers,
Chairs,
Express
Wagons

and many other useful articles which are suitable for a Christmas present, and to take advantage of the many bargains which he is sacrificing during this special sale. He invites you to call early.

Holiday Proclamation!

Xmas Greetings—Xmas Presents.

If you are looking for Xmas Presents or something for yourself, call on us. What gift is more welcome than a nice CLOAK? In this line we have made sweeping reductions:

\$7 50 COATS AND CAPES NOW \$5 00
10 00 COATS AND CAPES NOW 6 50
15 00 COATS AND CAPES NOW 10 00
20 00 COATS AND CAPES NOW 12 50

During the Holidays we offer two

Handkerchief Bargains!

Embroidered fine Linen Handkerchiefs, plain or scalloped edge, usual price 25c., Xmas price 15c.; extra fine Linen Handkerchiefs, handsomely embroidered, usual price 50c., Xmas price 25c.

Kid and Cashmere Gloves in all new shades, from 25c. to \$1.50.

Ladies who are looking for inexpensive Xmas Novelties should see our 25 and 50c. articles. We are sure you will be pleased with the display. Hoping to see you,

D. HUNT & SON.

Our Holiday Offering!

To show our appreciation of the patronage we have been favored with, we wish to make our friends the most liberal holiday offering possible. Beginning Monday, December 17, and continuing until January 1,

We Will Give Our Patrons Choice of Our
Entire Stock of Boots and Shoes
at Cost Price.

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F. B. RANSON & CO.

LIGHTNING
HOT
DROPS

CURES
Colic,
Cramps,
Diarrhoea,
Flux,
Cholera,
Morbus,
Nausea,
Changes of
Water, Etc.

HEALS
Cuts,
Burns,
Bruises,
Scratches,
Bites of
Animals and
Bugs, Etc.
Tastes Good.
Smells Good.

BREAKS UP A COLD.

SOLD EVERYWHERE—25 AND 50c PER BOTTLE. NO RELIEF, NO PAY.
50c size contains two and one half times as much as 25c bottle.

HERB MEDICINE CO.

SPRINGFIELD, O.



FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fifty-two acres of McAtee farm on Germantown pike. F. DEVINE. 15-43t

FOR SALE—A Piano at a bargain. Apply to this office. 30tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The St. James Hotel on Market street. Possession given January 1st. Applications must be made by December 22. Inquire at this office or of MRS. B. H. DIENER, Fifth ward.

FOR RENT—Four up-stairs rooms located on Front street, east of Market. In good repair. Apply to JAMES RICE, East Front street.

FOR RENT—Store-room at No. 135 West Second street. Apply at the residence.

FOR RENT—In a good location three or four rooms. A supply of water and other conveniences. Apply at No 112 West Front street 10-tf

FOR RENT—Store house and office on Sutton street. Address D. W. JANUARY, Flemingsburg, Ky. dtf.

FOR RENT—The house on south east corner of Front and Market, formerly occupied by Karr & Co. and N. Gollenstein. Apply to GARRATT'S WALL. j22dtf.

OLD CLOTHES MADE NEW and New Clothes made to order. A branch of the Globe Tailoring Company of Cincinnati has been opened on West Second street, next door to Daulton's Livery Stable, where there will be found a complete line of Woollens suitable for Gents' Suits and Overcoating. McCormick, the Tailor, will be pleased to wait on you. Dyeing, Cleaning, Scouring and Repairing a specialty. Ladies, bring your old dresses, silk or wool, and have them dyed. First-class work guaranteed.

HAS ARRIVED

That is my immense stock of

HOLIDAY GOODS

And will be sold at prices the cheapness of which was never heard of before. It will be next to giving them away, as proof of which just look at the prices on some of the goods:

4 pounds Best Grocers' Mixed Candy.....25c
2 pounds Best home-made Mixed Candy.....15c
4 pounds Best Stick Candy.....25c
1 pounds best Mixed Nuts (no peanuts).....10c
1 pound best layer Raisins.....10c
1 pound best Two Crown Loose Raisins.....5c
1 pound best Leghorn Citron.....15c
1 pound best Evaporated Peaches.....10c
5 packs Fire Crackers.....10c
Also Oranges, Lemons, Apples, Bananas and all kinds of Fruits in large quantities at lowest prices.

My house will be, as usual, headquarters for Poultry, Game, Oysters in bulk and in cans, Celery, Cranberries, etc., etc. The biggest and best stock of Canned Goods in town, and lowest prices. My purchases have been very large at extremely low prices for cash, and I am able to successfully meet any and all competition. The goods must go. No Holiday goods will be held over. Come early and get first choice and avoid the rush. And don't forget that PERFECTION FLOUR is the best, and that our blended Coffee has no equal.

R. B. LOVELL,

The Leading Grocer.

HOLIDAY BARGAINS.

Read This Before You Start Out to Make Your Purchases.

It is to Your Interest to See the Goods Advertised—Don't Fail to Do So.

See Kackley & Co.'s \$1.50 toys, in wood; only \$1.

Twelve volumes Scott, \$3.50, at Kackley & Co.'s.

Elegant fancy lamps and onyx tables at Ballenger's.

Poets, gilt edge, red line; 49 cents at Kackley & Co.'s.

Fifteen volumes Bulwer, in cloth, \$4.50, at Kackley & Co.'s.

Fifteen volumes Charles Dickens, \$4.50, at Kackley & Co.'s.

Cloth-bound books from 10 cents to 25 cents each at Kackley & Co.'s.

A bisque doll, kid body, eleven inches long; only 10 cents at Kackley & Co.'s.

See the elegant cut glass, the Dresden china and the bric-a-brac at Ballenger's.

Rings and scarf pins are very appropriate for Christmas presents. Ballenger has 'em in great variety.

For a nice selection of toys, cheap, call at Brown's toy store, 121½ East Third street. See the Irish jig dancer.

No trouble to find something very appropriate for a Christmas present among the gold and silver novelties at Ballenger's.

From now until the 25th instant, inclusive, Mitchell & O'Hare will sell breech-loading shot-guns at cost for cash. Buy one for a Christmas present; it makes a most acceptable one.

With each dollar's worth of goods purchased of Theo. C. Power, from now until the 25th inclusive, one mug hot chocolate free. See his elegant line of holiday goods marked low in plain figures. Next door to postoffice.

People do not naturally think of going to a hardware store to select Christmas presents, but no more desirable articles can be purchased anywhere. Cutlery covers the wants of both sexes and all ages, and you can find the finest line of pearl-handled pocket knives, razors, tested and warranted, finest finished scissors, silver plated knives and forks, carving sets, and skates in the city at Mitchell & O'Hare's, and at prices lower than you can buy elsewhere.

Advertisements in this column 10 cents a line first issue, 5 cents a line each additional issue. Send in your copy.

A Nice Plum.

Mr. Arthur F. Curran, the gentlemanly ex-editor of the Dover News, was a passenger west on No. 4 from Washington, D. C., yesterday. His many friends will be glad to know he secured a nice plum while in Washington, in the shape of a position as proof-reader in the Treasury Department printing office, under Hon. J. Dexter Kehoe. This makes quite a group of Mason County boys Mr. Kehoe has gathered around him. In addition to Mr. Curran there are Messrs. Bruce Austin, Will Cady and Mr. Kehoe's son, George. Mr. Curran will return to Washington as soon as he can make the necessary arrangements.

Big Suit for Back Taxes.

An Enquirer special from Flemingsburg says: "Four important suits have been filed here against as many of Flemingsburg's wealthy citizens. The suits are against E. E. Pearce and W. S. Fant, bankers; W. T. Armstrong and H. B. Cushman, wealthy citizens, and are brought by the State to recover \$86,000 back taxes alleged to be due on notes, bonds and mortgages not listed for taxation during the past twenty-two years."

The Modern Mother.

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy, than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

Coal! Coal!

Try the best coal in the market. The People's Coal Company sells the genuine Syracuse shaft coal. It makes no clinkers and holds fire all night. Try it and be convinced and you will use no other. Delivered at 8 cents in lots not less than fifty bushels. Office near the C. and O. depot.

Attached His Watch.

Dr. Geo. B. Orr, a well-known Cincinnati physician, has sued W. H. Harris, the fuel gas man, for \$295, alleged to be due for professional services. A Constable attached Harris' watch and chain to pay the claim.



ANOTHER MERRY CHRISTMAS!

A Chance to Buy Useful and Beautiful Christmas Presents at a Great Saving in Prices. Note the Reductions We Are Making:

Cloaks and Wraps Dress Goods!

\$5 Coats 38 and 40 inches long, reduced to \$4; \$7 Coats 38 and 40 inches long, reduced to \$5; \$10 Coats 38 and 40 inches long, reduced to \$7.50.

All our \$15, \$16.50 and \$17.50 Coats reduced to \$12.50. These include Navy, Brown and Black and are the latest style. No old Coats in this lot.

Your choice of twenty children's Cloaks, size 8, 10 and 12 years for \$5, sold all season at \$7, \$8 and \$10.

Black Coney Capes at \$7.50, reduced from \$10.

Black Russian Hare Capes at \$10, reduced from \$12.50 and \$13.50.

Canada Seal Capes, have sold at \$15 and \$16.50, reduced to \$12.50.

\$25 Electric Seal Capes, 30 inches long, 90 inches sweep, reduced to \$20.

Thirty-eight inch all Wool Serges, only 35c.
Fifty-four inch Ladies Cloth, All Wool, only 39c.
Elegant line of plain and figured Black Goods, reduced from \$1 to 75c.
Twenty pieces of 36-inch Henrietta, all shades, reduced from 25 to 20c.
Forty pieces of dark Satteen, worth 12½c., at 8½c.

TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, NAPKINS.

Turkey Red Damask at 20, 25 and 35c.; extra good value in Bleached Damask at 50, 75 \$1.

Napkins in plain and fancy bordered at 60, 75, \$1 and \$1.25 a dozen.

A big drive in Towels at 10c. Ask to see them.

A very large assortment of Huck and Damask Towels, fringed and hemstitched, at 25c.

HANDKERCHIEFS

The largest stock, the newest styles and the lowest prices. Ladies' Silk Handkerchiefs at 10c.; Ladies' Embroidered and Initial Silk Handkerchiefs at 25c., large size; Ladies' Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs at 5, 10 and 15c.; 250 dozen Ladies' Hemstitch and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, over fifty styles, at 25c.; Embroidered All Linen Handkerchiefs at 35, 40, 50, 75c. and \$1 each.

Domestic Goods Are Now Lower Than Ever Before---See the Prices:

Yard-wide Bleached Muslin, 5c.; yard-wide heavy Unbleached at 5c.; Plaid and Striped Shirting, 5c.; best Apron Gingham, 5c.; Canton Flannel, 5c.; Indigo Blue and Turkey Red Prints, 5c.; Simpson's Mourning Prints at 5c.

Twenty-five dozen Bordered Aprons at 15c. each; twenty-five dozen India Linen Aprons, plain, fancy and tucked, at 25c.; Men's Heavy Gloves at 35, 50, 75 and \$1; Gent's Undressed Kid Gloves, \$1.50; Ladies' Wool Mitts, 25, 35 and 50c.; the best \$1 Kid Gloves ever sold, full line of black and colors. See our 25c. Fleece Ribbed Underwear for Ladies.

BROWNING & CO

51 WEST SECOND STREET.

New store, new goods, low prices.—Calhoun's.

The merchant who wants any of the Christmas trade will advertise next week.

JESSE WARREN was given twelve years in the "pen" for killing Joe Craig over a crap game at Paris.

The Palace Hotel and livery stable adjoining it at Lexington were the scene of a big fire Sunday morning.

REV. DR. H. P. WALKER, formerly Presiding Elder of the Maysville district, M. E. Church, South, is very ill at Lexington.

The pastor of the Plymouth Baptist Church baptised thirteen converts in the river at the Fifth ward landing Sunday.

The report of the State Superintendent of Education shows that of 541,531 children of school age in Mississippi, 320,000 are colored.

This week will be a busy one for holiday shoppers. Keep your goods before the people. Advertise, if you want the holiday trade.

HON. JOHN F. HAGER, the well-known and popular Democrat of Ashland, is favorably mentioned as a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination.

D. HUNT & SON have made sweeping reductions on prices of cloaks, and are offering big bargains in handkerchiefs. See figures in to-day's advertisement.

COL. JOHN A. COCKERILL is being talked of as manager of the Associated Press, with headquarters at Chicago. Stone, the present manager, has resigned to take a place as President of a bank.

JOHN WHEELER, Market street, is the leader in toys of all kinds, the finest and purest candies for the least money, and fresh oysters, celery and fruits. Now is the time to buy, as all his toys and candies must go during the holidays.

It is reported that beginning with the first of the year the Chesapeake and Ohio will take the freight and passenger business of the Norfolk and Western from the crossing of the two roads at Kenova, and take it into Cincinnati.

CALL and see the most beautiful line of cut glass ever seen here. These goods are strictly American cut, not cheap imported glass. To introduce this class of goods, I have marked them down at low prices. P. J. MURPHY, the jeweler.

AN advertisement in the BULLETIN all this week would cost only a few dollars, and it might bring you in hundreds. Try it.

MR. H. W. HUTCHINS, who has been General Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at Covington for the past five years, has tendered his resignation, to take effect on March 1, 1895.

If you haven't seen Ballenger's stock of holiday goods, don't fail to do so at once. A more elegant line of beautiful diamonds, lovely gems, fine Dresden clocks, cut glass, and fancy gold and silver novelties was never before displayed in Maysville.

USEFUL Xmas presents will be appreciated more than ever this year, and before buying you should see Chenoweth's stock of combs and brushes, pocket-books, card cases, perfumes and toilet preparations, at prices so low they will surprise you.

In the Circuit Court at Lexington Saturday judgment was entered in the case of Mrs. Bettie L. Crawford against Col. Jack Chinn for \$4,250, her interest in a division of a gambling house in Chicago operated by Colonel Chinn and her late husband. Chinn is now in San Francisco.

LUTE CLEVELAND DANIELS, aged about eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Daniels of Jersey Ridge, died Sunday morning, of scarlet fever. Deceased was taken ill Friday. The remains will be interred this afternoon at the Maysville Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Daniels have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

THE law forbids any pensioner from bargaining, selling or promising his quarterly pension to any dealer or other person before it has become due and been paid, and that on the other hand all persons are forbidden by law to accept the same in any manner as security for credit or otherwise. The fine is fixed at \$100 for any violation of the act and is equal upon the soldier or dealer.—Exchange.

MR. G. F. Bateman, one of the good and worthy citizens Mason County has furnished to Fayette, has been elected the Fayette County Secretary and Agent of the Hurst Home Fire Insurance Company of Millersburg. This company was organized three years ago and now number 1,200 farmers in Bourbon and adjoining counties, who have property insured amounting to over \$1,000,000. Fayette County has a membership of seventy-five farmers with \$110,000 insurance.

McILVAIN & HUMPHREYS,

FURNITURE DEALERS

Having had our store newly painted and papered, and gotten an entirely new stock of FURNITURE, which we bought low down for cash, we are now offering our customers greater bargains than ever before. We have a complete line of

Bedroom Suits and Folding Beds,

Parlor Sets, Sideboards, Hat Racks, Tables, Chairs, Etc.

You should see our display of ROCKERS, which we are offering at rock-bottom prices.

Undertakers!

Our Caskets, Robes, Hearses, &c., are new. We buy only from the best factories, and with one of the best Funeral Directors and Embalmers in the State in charge, we are prepared to give this department our most careful attention. Our rooms are open day and night.

McIlvain & Humphreys,

113 Sutton, between Front and Second, West Side.

CHRISTMAS GOODS

—AT—

HOEFLICH'S

Fancy Goods, Jap Goods, Stamped Linens, Towels, Handkerchiefs, Jewelry, Dress Goods, Blankets, Carpets, Rugs, Portieres, Screens, Etc.

SPECIAL SALES DAYS, Tuesday and Wednesday. Ten dozen 25-cent Handkerchiefs, 18c.; 25c. for Stamped Linens worth 40 to 50c. Thursday and Friday, 19c. sale. All 25c. Fancy Goods, 19c. Other goods reduced.

PAUL HOEFLICH & BRO.

BORN, Sunday morning, to the wife of Mr. Frank Ryder, a son. THE WEEKLY BULLETIN \$1.50 a year. EVENING BULLETIN \$3 a year. Subscribe.

NOVELIST NO MORE.

Death of Robert Louis Stevenson at Apia, Samoa.

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Dec. 17.—Advices from Apia, Samoa, of date of Dec. 8, are to the effect that the well known novelist, Robert Louis Stevenson, had died suddenly from apoplexy. His remains were interred on the summit of Pala mountain, 1,800 feet high. At the time of his death Mr. Stevenson had half completed the writing of a new novel.



ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

Robert Louis Balfour Stevenson was born in Edinburgh Nov. 13, 1850. He was educated at private schools and at the University of Edinburgh, and was called to the Scottish bar, but traveled and devoted himself to literature. One of his earliest works was an account of his travels in California, but the work which established his reputation as a writer of fiction was "Treasure Island," published in 1883. Among the most popular of his works is "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which was dramatized and played at the Lyceum theater in London in 1888, and consequently in the United States. Among his other works are "Kidnapped," "The New Arabian Nights" and "The Black Arrow." A some time ago Mr. Stevenson, who was suffering from lung trouble, went to the South Pacific for his health. He became enraptured with the Samoan islands and decided to take up his residence and spend the rest of his days there. He took an interest in Samoan affairs and has written many letters to the newspapers in favor of the natives as against the treaty powers under whose direction the government of the islands is conducted.

DEATH OF JAMES GILLFILLAN.

He Was Chief Justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 17.—After an illness of several weeks, Chief Justice James Gillfillan of the Minnesota supreme bench, died yesterday in his 65th year. He was born in 1829, and in childhood came to this country with his parents, settling in New York. He studied law at Ballston and Buffalo, and was admitted to the bar in 1850 at Albany.

In 1857 he began the practice of his profession in this city. He served in the Seventh Minnesota regiment through the Indian wars and during the rebellion, being promoted to captain and later was made colonel of the Eleventh Minnesota, but when the war closed he was commanding a division. In 1869 he was appointed by Governor Marshall to fill the vacancy on the supreme bench caused by the retirement of Justice Thomas Wilson, serving one year, and again in 1875 he filled a term by appointment, but since that time has been regularly re-elected, his last term expiring with the present year. Chief Justice Gillfillan held high rank among jurists.

The cause of death was kidney troubles. Mrs. Gillfillan and six children survive him. The funeral will be held from Christ church (Episcopal) tomorrow under the auspices of the Loyal Legion.

Steamship Disabled.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 17.—The steamship Portland, formerly the Haytian Republic, returned here this morning leaking badly and with her rudder damaged, the result of two terrible hours off Cape Flattery last night. She was coal-laden and bound from Nanaimo to San Francisco. The sea constantly swept over her, and for a time it was feared would extinguish her fires. She refused to answer her helm, but was finally brought about and brought inside Tatoosh light. Several large steamers, reported overdue, have arrived.

Didn't Know It Was Loaded.

OLIVE, Ill., Dec. 17.—Yesterday morning a very distressing accident occurred, by which a child, 3 years old, was shot and instantly killed and its playmate severely wounded. Carbonet, a Bonenico, living with the family of Frank Vacca, was examining a shotgun preparatory to cleaning it, and not thinking it was loaded, snapped the hammer. A heavy load of shot was discharged with the foregoing results.

Miss Stevenson Rapidly Failing.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Dec. 17.—Vice President Stevenson, who has been here for a week with his sick daughter, Mary Stevenson, returned to Washington last night. Mr. Stevenson is liable to be recalled to Asheville any hour, as Miss Stevenson's condition is extremely critical, in fact, it is conceded that her recovery is impossible. Her strength is gradually failing, and the end may come any day.

Communication by Bottle.

ASTORIA, Or., Dec. 17.—The United States lighthouse tender Columbia has returned from Tillamook rock, it being her second unsuccessful attempt to land supplies and workmen. The lighthouse tender bottled his report and cast it into the sea, where it was picked up by the steamer. He says the repairs have so far been made on the disabled lamp at the top of the tower as to admit of lighting it.

Collision of Horse Carts.

ROCHESTER, Dec. 17.—In responding to an alarm of fire yesterday afternoon horse carts Nos. 6 and 9 met in collision at a street corner. Both carts were going at full speed, and the horses were thrown in all directions. Louis Rice, the lieutenant of No. 6, was instantly killed, his skull being crushed, and Captain Frank Grafton of No. 9 was seriously injured and may die.



**ABSOLUTELY PURE
THE OLD RELIABLE
SWEET CAPORAL
CIGARETTE**

Has stood the Test of Time
MORE SOLD THAN ALL OTHER BRANDS COMBINED

THE BLOW WAS FATAL.

Andy Bowen Dies After His Fight With George Lavigne.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 17.—Andy Bowen, the New Orleans lad, who fought 18 rounds Friday night with George Lavigne, in the arena of the Auditorium club, died Saturday morning a little after 7 o'clock.

Lavigne and his seconds and time-keeper, consisting of Puglist Jim Hall, Sam Fitzpatrick, Martin Murphy and George Consadine, and also Referee Professor John Duffy, were placed under arrest.

Lavigne was admitted to bail in the sum of \$10,000, the others \$5,000. Duffy, the referee, and Spitzfaden were the only ones to furnish bond.

"Kid" Lavigne, Billy McCarthy, Sam Fitzpatrick, Jim Hall, Martin Murphy and George Consadine, were sent to jail but afterward released.

Lavigne is detained by the police. As soon as he can get away he will go home and rest for three months. He will not retire from the ring but will then try for a match with Johnson of Minneapolis.

The grand jury will begin an investigation and fix the blame for the death.

Governor Foster was seen yesterday evening and asked for an expression of his opinion of the so-called glove contests in the light of the tragic outcome of the Lavigne-Bowen fight. The governor expressed himself as firmly opposed to such exhibitions. He said: "I have always been very positive and emphatic in my opposition to the glove contests as carried on in New Orleans by professional prize fighters. I regard it as a brutal exhibition, tending to demoralize public sentiment and in no wise calculated to elevate the tone of public morals in the community."

"When the effort was made to have the Corbett-Mitchell fight take place in New Orleans I determined to exhaust all the power of the state to prevent it, and so declared at the time. Subsequently to this the right of athletic clubs to have such exhibitions was taken into court and is still pending. I urged in my message to the legislature the passing of a law declaring glove contests of this kind a criminal offense, and several bills were introduced to that end, but for some reason no bill was passed."

"The unfortunate termination of the Lavigne-Bowen contest accentuates the importance of prohibiting any such further exhibitions. A sound, healthy public sentiment has outlawed the exhibitions in almost every state in the Union, and I believe the great body of the people of this state unquestionably oppose to make Louisiana, and especially New Orleans, the scene of such brutal contests."

Freight Trains Crash Together.

HOUSTON, Dec. 17.—During a dense fog yesterday morning two heavy freight trains crashed into each other on the long bridge of the Southern Pacific railroad. Fireman Clements and Conductor Heard were badly cut and bruised, the former fatally. Just after the wreck Peter Carroll, foreman of the bridge and building department, fell from the bridge and was fatally wounded.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Dec. 17.—An attempt was made early yesterday morning to wreck the New York and Chicago limited train on the Pennsylvania railroad by pulling the spikes from the switch and blowing the light out. Other obstructions were also placed in the switch. The discovery was made just five minutes before the train was due, which runs 50 miles an hour.

Colored Coachman Fatally Stabbed.

ROANOKE, W. Va., Dec. 17.—Doc Hampton, a colored coachman, was fatally stabbed yesterday in the Mechanics' club by an unknown negro. The clubrooms were searched by the police, but nothing definite has been learned about the crime.

Malpractice or Safe.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 17.—The government Saturday notified the United States charge d'affaires that it had decided not to grant extradition in the case of Dr. J. S. McCurry, under arrest at Monterey, who, it is alleged, is wanted for criminal malpractice at Anniston, Ala.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at J. James Wood's.

EVERYBODY says "What fine cabinets at Parker's gallery, and only \$1.50 a dozen!"

River News.

Bonanza and Stanley down this afternoon.

The Telegraph is to-night's packet for Pomeroy.

The Iron Queen down last night and returns for Pittsburg to-night.

St. Lawrence, in command of popular Captain Shedd, from and to Cincinnati daily.

The gauge here shows 16 8-10 feet and rising. The river is higher now than since last spring.

To-day begin the holiday rates on the White Collar line's packets. Round trip from Maysville to Cincinnati, including meals and berth, only \$1.50, good on any of the company's boats until January 5th.

The handsome new steel-hull towboat E. S. Andrews passed down last evening with twenty-two barges from Kanawha. She was ablaze with electric lights from stem to stern as she passed the city.

A. O. H. Officers.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year by the members of the A. O. H. at their meeting yesterday:

County President—Patrick Fox.
President—W. A. Cole.
Vice President—M. J. McCarthy.
Recording Secretary—John Kane, Jr.
Financial Secretary—Thomas Breen.
Treasurer—M. R. Gilmore.
Sergeant-at-Arms—Martin Hanley.
Sentinel and Janitor—John Gill.
Standing Committee—John T. Short, Robert Brown, John F. Moran, John O'Mahoney and Charles F. McAuliff.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

County Court.

The following settlements were filed Friday and continued for exceptions:

M. C. Hutchins, administrator of Betsy Poage.
P. L. Parker, guardian of Elmer G. Downing.
Jane Summers, executrix of Jeff. Summers.
J. W. Alexander, guardian of Annie S. Williams and C. A. Williams.

Same, guardian of Allan T. Wheatley.

The first mile of the Hebron and Salem Ridge pike was reported completed, examined and received, and the County Treasurer was directed to pay said company \$649.36, in part payment of county's subscription.

F. DEVINE, as agent, has sold for Mr. A. E. Strode and son, 84 acres of land on the Wolf's Run and Mt. Carmel turnpike to J. C. Thomas for \$850.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder.

Women Are Martyrs

to neuralgia, headache and nervousness—many men suffer also—Mrs. VILLA H. MAPP, White Plains, Ga. was broken down in health when she began taking

Brown's Iron Bitters

In a unsolicited letter (June 29, 1894.) she writes:

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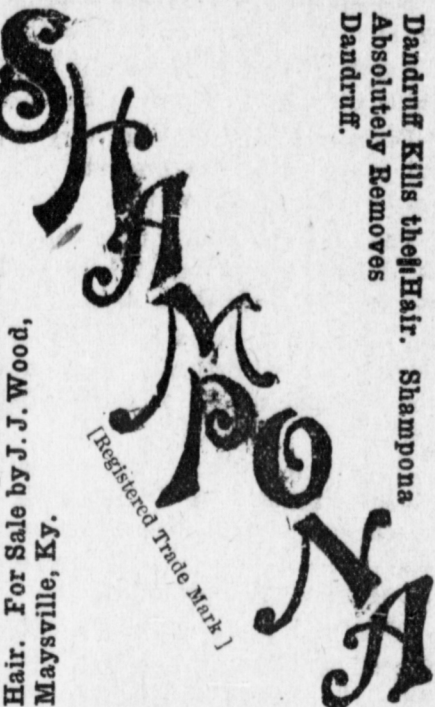
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